

***Amendments to the Drawings***

Kindly replace FIG. 4A with the enclosed replacement sheet of FIG. 4A.

### ***Remarks***

Reconsideration of this Application is respectfully requested.

Upon entry of the foregoing amendment, claims 33-62 are pending in the application, with claims 33, 43, and 53 being the independent claims. Claims 1-32 are sought to be cancelled without prejudice to or disclaimer of the subject matter therein. New claims 33-62 are sought to be added. These changes are believed to introduce no new matter, and their entry is respectfully requested.

Based on the above amendment and the following remarks, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider all outstanding objections and rejections and that they be withdrawn.

### ***Objections to the Drawings***

The Examiner objected to FIG. 4A. A replacement drawing of FIG. 4A in compliance with 37 C.F.R. 1.121(b) is submitted herein.

### ***Double Patenting Rejections***

Claims 1-25 and 27-32 are rejected based on double patenting over claims of U.S. Patent 7,010,559. Claims 1-32 have been cancelled. The rejection as to claims 1-32 has therefore been rendered moot.

### ***Conclusion***

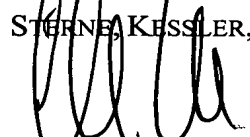
All of the stated grounds of objection and rejection have been properly traversed, accommodated, or rendered moot. Applicants therefore respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider all presently outstanding objections and

rejections and that they be withdrawn. Applicants believe that a full and complete reply has been made to the outstanding Office Action and, as such, the present application is in condition for allowance. If the Examiner believes, for any reason, that personal communication will expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number provided.

Prompt and favorable consideration of this Amendment and Reply is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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